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: Eberhard Pleiss : January 18, 2002

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: SYSTEM TO BE FITTED IN A VEHICLE DOOR

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Examiner

: Jerry Redman

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REPLY

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Commissioner:

This is a reply to the June 3, 2004 Office action. amend the above-identified application as follows:

At page 1, after the heading CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION, delete the following sentence and in place thereof insert the following -- This application is a National Stage application in the U.S. based on International Application No. PCT/DE99/02285 filed July 22, 1999 --.

REMARKS

The Examiner objected to the wording of the reference to the International application in which this application is based.